

Appendix B

Extract from the Cabinet Minutes of the 12 December 2006 (Minute No 72):-

72 REVIEW OF AVIS WAY DAY CENTRE, NEWHAVEN

72.1 The Cabinet considered a report by the Director of Adult Social Care together with the comments and representations made during the consultation exercise. The Director reported that the figure in paragraph 1.4 of the report should be amended to read £231,000.

72.2 On the motion of Councillor Bentley (duly seconded) it was RESOLVED –

(1) to agree to re-provide Day Services to adults with learning disabilities currently attending Avis Way, following individual service reviews, and in consultation with service users and carers;

(2) to agree to utilise capacity at the St Nicholas Centre, Lewes by enhancing staffing levels and making appropriate adaptations to the building;

(3) to delegate authority to the Director of Adult Social Care for agreeing new contractual arrangements with Southdown Housing Association; and

(4) to agree to de-commission the Avis Way building.

Reason

72.3 The agreed approach will ensure that the needs of people with learning disabilities currently using the Avis Way Day Centre and their carers continue to be met in line with the Adult Social Care Department's eligibility criteria. The approach will deliver estimated full year savings of £231,000 which will be reinvested into direct community care services and maximise the efficiency of the St Nicholas Day Service.